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Regional Transportation Center wins Project Achievement Award

(Stockton, CA) – On Thursday, May 19, San Joaquin Regional Transit District (RTD) and its construction partner Arcadis U.S., Inc. received a Project Achievement Award for the San Joaquin Regional Transportation Center (RTC) project from the Construction Management Association of America (CMAA) Northern California Chapter.

CMAA's Project Achievement Awards Program recognizes outstanding achievements in the practice of construction management for public and private projects. Winning projects are selected based on outcomes, overall management, safety performance, quality management, cost management, schedule management, complexity, innovation and creativity, and client satisfaction.

The RTC, which was operational as of November 2015, was completed over \$3 million under budget and three months ahead of schedule. Even prior to construction, RTD adopted a novel approach to reduce costs by using the pre-existing design plans of an Orange County Transportation Authority facility to save over \$1 million in design costs. That foresight and RTD's diligent work with Arcadis helped expedite planning and reduced overall costs.

The RTC replaced an aging, overcrowded facility originally designed for a fleet of only 50 buses, less than half of RTD's current fleet of 133 buses. It consolidated transportation and maintenance functions into a centrally located, 136,000 square foot facility that will eventually house up to 250 buses – five times more than the old facility. Replete with modern and environmentally conscious features, like fuel and fluid monitoring systems, digital security systems, LED lighting, groundwater recharge swales, water recycling, and much more, the award-winning RTC is poised to make a lasting impact on RTD's services and regional transportation in San Joaquin County.

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